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Another and the third national victory for FLANDERS "20" within a month. This time a clean sweep in America's hill climbing classic. The THREE speed FLANDERS "20" won event in her class Saturday at Worcester, Mass. climbing Dead Horse Hill in 1 minute 18.85 seconds, breaking all previous records for her class by 46 seconds, and defeating second car in her class by 37 seconds. She also beat records made by the following high powered and higher priced cars in other classes. Velie Buick, Cole, Hudson, Firestone, Oakland, Cameron, Krit and Empire.

FLANDERS "20" was the lowest priced car in the contest. Dead Horse Hill is one mile long with a rise of over 400 feet to the mile. Newspaper accounts say course was slow because of bad surface and one very bad spot near finish line.

FLANDERS time better than time made in 1909 by any car less than three times her price. And faster than time made last year by any car but one of three times her size and price. She averaged a little over 46 miles an hour up to the eight per cent grade. Strictly stock chassis. Event run under A.A.A. rules and supervision. FLANDERS "20" was sensation of the sixty and seventy horse power cars barely beating her phenomenal performance.

Sending you photograph of WITT in victorious FLANDERS on the hill.

She has now only to win the three hundred mile Savanna Road Race to prove her invincibility in speed as she proved her reliability in the Little Glidden; her staying powers in Minneapolis, to Helena Montana reliability run, and her hill climbing qualities on Dead Horse Hill. Watch the little wonder at Savanna.

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Eureka Items.

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Intended for last week.

We are having good rains and the crops are looking fine.

G. A. Kall returned home from Nebraska Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Morehouse and daughter Bertha and Mrs. W. A. King were plumping on a ranch down on the Beaver Thursday of last week. They got about 10 bushels of plums.

Lovica Morehouse visited at the Beeth home on Thursday. Their daughter, Mrs. Sidney Groves, is improving nicely.

Mr. and Mr. Loomis have moved to Liberal and are now settled in their new home south of the round house.

Sidney Capps came out from Liberal to spend Sunday with his mother. He returned home Monday.

Mrs. C. E. Morehouse and Miss Bertha were in Liberal Saturday.

Chas. Newman and wife and D. Ireland and wife called at the Ed. Hudsons home Sunday afternoon.

Plans are now being perfected for a social some time this week.
Born, to Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Hocker, September 20th, a daughter.

Ed. Evering who had been attending the Fair at Pratt returned home Tuesday.

Mrs. G. A. Kall called on Mrs. Dela Friday afternoon.

Mrs. C. E. Morehouse called on Mrs. S. A. Capps, Sunday.

C. H. Morehouse and family were

at C. E. Morehouse's Sunday after noon.

Mrs. A. W. Lawder who has been staying with her mother in Liberal a few days, returned home Monday leaving her mother somewhat improved.

Common Colds Must Be Taken Seriously.

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A number of Garden City people came down Thursday of last week to attend the Baptist Association held in Liberal. The party included Robert Phelps, J. C. Tyler, Miss Freda Moltz, retiring secretary of the association, Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Dennison and Bro. U. P. Ewing who preached the introductory sermon on Friday.

Mrs. Ethel McAlister visiting Mrs. L. N. Pennington Friday and Saturday.

Broomcorn Items

This is a busy week among broom corn raisers and the harvest is progressing rapidly. The weather is favorable for handling and curing the brush. It is a conservative estimate that 50 car loads of corn will be marketed here this year. Last year 146 car loads were shipped.—Lindsay (Okla.) News.

R. C. Kerr has returned to Wichita, Kans., from Argentine Republic where he has been for two years representing the Western Warehouse Co., Argentine raised quite a good deal of broomcorn, but their methods are all primitive and they have no machinery for cleaning or baling. The buyer gets the broom corn in small bundles and takes them to some central location where they are baled. They let the seed ripen on all their brush before cutting.

Three cars of old broom corn were shipped last week, making the total for the 1910 crop, 783 cars. There are about 24 cars in storage here, and buyers estimate that there are twenty-five cars of old broomcorn in the hands of the producers. The top of the market up to date is \$80, which was paid Monday by Chas. Molter. There have been several loads of brush sold at that mark, but so little of the new corn has been marketed that it is difficult to estimate what the market will open at, when the brush begins to come in. The bulk of the early crop will be pulled by the last of the week. The rains of last week and the cloudy weather of this week have undoubtedly caused some discoloration. The bulk of the early crop is long and should command a good price on the market here.

Dealers report a fair amount of business with the demand for good corn still running far in the lead. Most of the broom factories from which we hear say that the broom business is good but an occasional manufacturer writes that his business is very dull. The brush in the central district is really quite good though the acreage is small and as much of it is hurl it looks as though it would sell readily at a good price. \$120 was recently paid for one crop of extra good 1910 brush in the district, but it was something that struck the particular fancy of the buyer, but most of the corn has changed hands around the hundred dollar mark. If the new corns do not get any more rain it will be of fine color and as it has the length the manufacturers are likely to bid up pretty lively for the first crops and perhaps even for the entire output of the district. This is evidenced by the way a few of the early crops sold at Lindsay, Oklahoma last week.

As we have previously stated we look for a good, strong, healthy market on choice corn but can see nothing as yet to warrant a repetition of the scenes of 1909. However much of the corn in the west is late and it is impossible to tell how much or what quality it will produce. Something may yet occur to radically change the situation.—Arcola Record.

The general showers last week covered all of the territory around Liberal. This will put the late corn in good shape and the large acreage of late corn may yet make a very good crop.

With two new warehouses Liberal will be very well prepared to take care of the broomcorn marketed here. It is also rumored that there will be a new buyer on the local market this fall.

According to the year book of the department of commerce and labor, for the fiscal year 1910, there was imported free broomcorn that was dutiable after that date to the value of \$980,784. No brooms were shown in the imports of last year, though there were some in 1911. The bulk of the broomcorn imported came from Austria - Hungary, Italy and France. Of the three, Austria-Hungary supplied the greatest quantity—a total for the year of \$356,031, with Italy second with a

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total of \$282,717; France third with a total of \$155,665. The greater bulk of the broomcorn exported went to Canada, viz, \$372,341 worth. To Cuba we exported \$36,542 and to Mexico \$5,135.

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After much anxious waiting, the students of the Kansas foot ball coach for next year will be Ralph A. Sherwin, a graduate of Dartmouth College, Hanover, New Hampshire. Mr. Sherwin made an exceptional record as a foot ball player and was for two years chosen as tackle on the All American team. His University title will be that of assistant physical instructor. He will have charge of baseball as well as football.

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